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SNOWBOARD SHOE FIXING SYSTEM

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Responsive to the Official Action of October 29, 2002,  
please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE ABSTRACT:

Insert the Abstract of the Disclosure as on the  
accompanying separate sheet.

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Page 1, before line 2, insert the following heading:

--BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION--;

[Page 1, replace the paragraph beginning on line 2 as  
follows:]

--The invention relates to a system for fixing a shoe  
to a snowboard, in particular a quick-fit system comprising a  
heel release, also called a spoiler, and a heel-piece described  
in my Patent FRA 2,760,373.

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